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Semiconductor storage device and refresh control method thereof

the specification of which (check one)

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## Prior Foreign Application(s)

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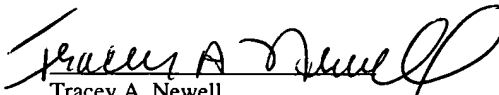
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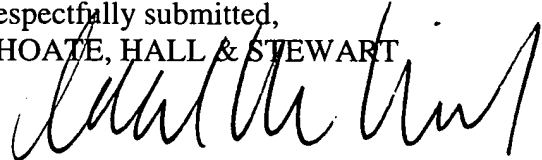
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